

I am a Land Surveyor in Oregon. I and many of my fellow surveyors use GPS receivers on a daily basis. I have GPS receivers ranging from a \$30,000 survey grade to hand helds to my phone with Google maps that I use each day. If LightSquared was allowed to install their network, as it is now designed which interfere with GPS signals, in my area it would be detrimental my and others ability to survey.

I am also a member of the local Search and Rescue. We heavily rely on handheld and vehicle mounted GPS receivers to locate missing and injured persons. Our ability to locate and reach these people that may have a life and death situation would greatly be hindered if our GPS receivers would not work.

I am not against improved technology and services in fact I love my smart phone and other devices that assist me every day, but I believe that if something new comes out, it needs to be able to work with other existing devices and not interfere with them. There are just way too many people that directly or indirectly rely on GPS technology to LightSquared to be allowed to proceed with their plan unless they can adjust themselves to compliment the existing signals in the air. To me this is a huge public safety and wellbeing issue.

Respectfully
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